
SENATE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

PROPOSED SUB A FOR S-277 AND S-290 HAVE BEEN ADDED

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Tuesday, April 25, 2023

TIME: Rise of the Senate

PLACE: Senate Lounge - State House

SCHEDULED FOR CONSIDERATION

Senate Bill No. [290](#)

BY DiMario, Pearson, LaMountain, Miller, Valverde, Lauria, Lawson, Murray, Euer, Ujifusa ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- THE RHODE ISLAND HEALTH CARE REFORM ACT OF 2004 -- HEALTH INSURANCE OVERSIGHT {LC1062/1} (Requires a workgroup of health care providers and health insurers convened by the office of the health commissioner, to make recommendations regarding prior authorization policies.)

02/16/2023 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services

03/17/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

03/23/2023 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

04/14/2023 Scheduled for consideration

04/17/2023 Proposed Substitute

04/17/2023 Meeting postponed

04/17/2023 Proposed Substitute

04/17/2023 Meeting postponed

04/20/2023 Scheduled for consideration

Senate Bill No. [277](#)

BY Miller, DiPalma, Euer, DiMario, Lauria, Lawson, Ujifusa, Kallman, Murray, Valverde ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- RHODE ISLAND PATHWAYS PROJECT {LC270/1} (Requires the executive office of health and human services (EOHHS) to conduct a study to assess the impact of using Medicaid funds to provide coverage for the treatment of the chronically homeless.)

02/16/2023 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services

03/03/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

03/09/2023 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

04/14/2023 Scheduled for consideration

04/17/2023 Meeting postponed

04/20/2023 Scheduled for consideration

Senate Bill No. [289](#)

BY Valverde, Miller, DiMario

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- INTERSTATE MEDICAL LICENSURE COMPACT {LC1455/1} (Repeals the sunset provision of the interstate medical licensure act.)

02/16/2023 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services

03/03/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

03/09/2023 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

04/14/2023 Scheduled for consideration

04/17/2023 Meeting postponed

04/20/2023 Scheduled for consideration

SCHEDULED FOR HEARING AND/OR CONSIDERATION

Senate Bill No. [108](#)

BY Miller, Valverde, Lawson, DiMario, Lauria, Murray, Bell, Ujifusa

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- MEDICAL ASSISTANCE {LC1172/1} (Requires EOHHS working with the auditor general to develop a plan within two (2) years of the passage of this act to transition to a fee-for-service state-run Medicaid program.)

02/01/2023 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services

04/14/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

04/17/2023 Meeting postponed

04/20/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [109](#)

BY Ujifusa, Bell, Valverde, Miller, Quezada, DiMario, Murray, Mack, Gu, Sosnowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- MEDICAL ASSISTANCE {LC927/1} (Requires the auditor general to oversee an audit of Medicaid programs administered by managed care organizations and submit a report of such findings within six (6) months to the general assembly and EOHHS.)

02/01/2023 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services

04/14/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

04/17/2023 Meeting postponed

04/20/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Resolution No. [276](#)

BY Miller

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE MEDICAID SECTION 1115 DEMONSTRATION WAIVER REQUESTS AND RENEWALS {LC1458/1} (This joint resolution would approve an amendment to Medicaid section 1115 demonstration waiver requests and renewals.)

02/16/2023 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services

04/14/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

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04/17/2023 Meeting postponed

04/20/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [578](#)

BY Mack, Miller, Kallman, Lauria, Britto, Acosta, Euer, McKenney, LaMountain, Bell ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- ASSISTED LIVING RESIDENCE LICENSING ACT {LC1722/1} (Establishes, encourages and supports the establishment of family councils in managed residential communities providing assisted living services.)

03/07/2023 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services

03/10/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

03/16/2023 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

04/14/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

04/17/2023 Meeting postponed

04/20/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [797](#)

BY Miller, DiMario, Sosnowski, Ciccone, DiPalma, Murray, Pearson, Lawson ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- MEDICARE SUPPLEMENT INSURANCE POLICIES {LC2598/1} (Provides special enrollment period for Medicare Part B. Prohibits carriers from imposing conditions on enrollees or discriminate on price based upon health status, claims experience or preexisting conditions. Sunsets on December 31, 2025.)

03/23/2023 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services

04/14/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

04/17/2023 Meeting postponed

04/20/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [873](#)

BY Lawson, Lauria, LaMountain, Miller, Kallman, Cano, Euer, DiMario, Valverde, Mack ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- THE MEDICAID REENTRY ACT {LC2676/1} (Requires that Medicaid enrollment be maintained or provided to all inmates in the first 30 days of incarceration at the adult correctional institutions within the department of corrections and the last 30 days of incarceration when possible.)

03/30/2023 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services

04/14/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

04/17/2023 Meeting postponed

04/20/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

PROPOSED SUBSTITUTE

Senate Bill No. [290 SUB A](#)

{LC1062/A/1}

Senate Bill No. [277 SUB A](#)
{LC270/A/1}

TESTIMONY SUBMITTAL:

*Written Testimony must be submitted prior to 3:00 PM on Tuesday, April 25, 2023 in order for it to be provided to the members of the committee at the hearing and to be included in the meeting records.

TELEVISION AND LIVESTREAM INFORMATION:

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